Mountain Weather Forecast

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 16 May 2024 until 23:59 on Friday 17 May 2024

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 15 May 2024 at 15:28

Confidence: High for showery unsettled weather Thursday and Friday, but low for day to day detail. High for transitions to mainly dry weather with sunny spells from Saturday.

Headline for Thursday 16 May 2024: Early mist or fog patches to low levels soon clearing. Sunny spells and some scattered heavy afternoon showers, chance of thunder.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 16 May 2024

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
Low Likelihood

Heavy persistent snow
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Clear night	Mist	Sunny	Sunny intervals	Heavy rain showers	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Partly cloudy (night)
Precipitation probability							
00%	00%	00%	00%	30%	30%	30%	00%

Forecast for Thursday 16 May 2024

Weather: Some areas of mist or fog form in the valleys overnight. These soon clearing after dawn to leave good sunny spells. Some heavy afternoon showers developing from lunchtime, possibly thundery, before dying away through the evening.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: More than 90% falling to 70% through the afternoon.

Low cloud and visibility: Low cloud, mist or fog below 200m at first with summits clear. Then showers bubbling up through the middle of the day with bases falling to around 1000m and visibilities poor in any heavy showers passing through.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	11/15 E	8/11 NE	8/12 NE	7/11 NE	9/14 E	13/19 NE	13/19 N	17/24 N	21/30 N
300	7/11 E	7/10 NE	5/10 NE	5/10 E	7/12 E	8/14 NE	7/13 N	10/18 N	12/22 N
Valley	5/10 E	5/9 NE	4/9 NE	3/6 E	6/11 E	7/13 NE	5/12 N	10/19 N	12/22 N

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	10/8	10/9	11/10	12/11	13/12	13/11	12/10	11/8	10/6
300	11/10	11/10	12/11	15/14	16/16	16/15	15/14	13/11	12/10
Valley	12/11	11/10	12/12	16/16	18/17	18/17	16/15	14/12	13/11
<< Freezing Level*	2100m	2100m	2100m	2100m	2200m	2300m	2500m	2500m	2400m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Meteorologist's View

Nothing to add

Forecast for Friday 17 May 2024

Weather: Partly cloudy start clearing through the morning with some bright, sunny spells. The odd afternoon shower developing.

Maximum wind: North 10-15mph.

Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 700m: 50% rising to 80% by the evening.

Low cloud and visibility: Some patches of low cloud to 400-500m at first, lifting to 700m or higher and breaking through the morning.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 12 rising to plus 18 Celsius
At 700m: Plus 6 rising to plus 12 Celsius
Freezing level: Above summits

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